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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Respons	es)											
1. Name and Address of CAMPBELL WIL	1 0]	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol Meritage Homes CORP [MTH]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer (Check all applicable) _X_ Director10% Owner				
(Last) KNIGHTSBRIDG CORPORATION, DRIVE SUITE 13	170 NEWPORT	(3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 03/23/2005						Officer (give title below)Ot	her (specify belo	w)	
(Street) NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660			4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)						6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person			
(City)	(State)	(Zip)		Table I - No	on-De	erivative S	Securitie	s Acqu	ired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Own	ned		
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)		2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)	ion	4. Securi (A) or Di (Instr. 3,	sposed o	f(D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership	
				Code	v	Amount	(A) or (D)	Price		(I) (Instr. 4)	(1154. 4)	

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned

	(e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)														
1. Title of Derivative	Conversion		3A. Deemed Execution Date, if		tion	of Expiration Date c		of Underlying D		Derivative		Ownership			
(Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(Month/Day/Year)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8))	Derivat Securiti Acquire (A) or Dispose of (D) (Instr. 3 and 5)	ies ed ed	(Month/Day/Year) S		Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		(Instr. 5)	Beneficially Owned Following	Derivative Security: Direct (D) or Indirect	Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
				Code	v	(A)	(D)	Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares				
MTH Common Stock	\$ 58.62	03/23/2005		А		2,500		03/23/2006	03/22/2012	MTH Common Stock	2,500	\$ 58.62	5,000	D	
MTH Common Stock	\$ 58.62	03/23/2005		А		2,500		03/23/2007	03/22/2012	MTH Common Stock	2,500	\$ 58.62	7,500	D	

Reporting Owners

	Relationships							
Reporting Owner Name / Address	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other				
CAMPBELL WILLIAM G KNIGHTSBRIDGE CAPITAL CORPORATION 170 NEWPORT CENTER DRIVE SUITE 130 NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92660	Х							

Signatures

/s/ William G. Campbell	03/25/2005
Signature of Reporting Person	Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
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